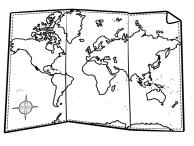


March is Reading Month Read Around the World



This year to celebrate March is Reading Month, our entire school will be "reading around the world", by reading books that take place on the various continents or books that teach us about each continent. In class, students will be keeping track of their "travels" in their own personal reading passport! Read around the world with us at home using the travel itinerary below! Each week, find a book about or from each of the continents listed below.

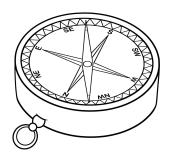
Travel Itinerary

February 26-March 1: South America March 2-8: Asia March 11-14: Europe

March 18-22: Africa & Australia

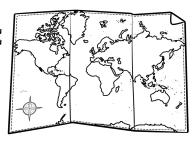
Track Your "Travels" at Home!

Keep track of all of your reading at home using the attached map. For each book you read at home, color in a piece of a continent. **Books do not have be from or about any specific continent to count.** Use the attached reading log to record any reading your child does at home. Try to fill as many continents as possible before March 22! Students who return the completed map during the week of March 18-22 will get to take a picture with their map to be posted on the Arno Caring Cougar Facebook Page.





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Unplugged Thursdays

Turn off electronics... and turn on your imagination! Every Thursday night in March "unplug" and spend some quality time with your family!

February 29, March 7, 14, 21

Wear it Wednesdays

Each Wednesday dress up to celebrate March is Reading Month!

February 28: Wear a shirt with words on it

March 6: Dress up like your favorite book character

March 13: Wear a hat with words on it

March 22: Wear your travel/vacation clothes

Penny Wars

Save your spare change to bring to school on the following days:

Feb. 27, March 5, 12, 19

Give your pennies to your class and your nickels, dimes, and quarters to other classes. Pennies add to your classes total, but other coins count against your total. The class with the highest total wins! All proceeds will go to future March is Reading Month events!

Bingo for Books

On **March 14**, students are invited to play bingo in Arno's cafeteria. Get a bingo and win a book! There will be two different times available. Look for more information about Bingo for Books coming home soon.